

1 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A lightweight fence and gate for swimming pools surrounded by a deck comprising a plurality of poles adapted to be inserted into the pool decking adjacent to the pool, the poles including an insert that is contained within each pole and a pin that is adhesively attached to each insert, the pin protruding from the bottom of each pole;

a mesh screen tensioned between the poles having top and bottom bindings;

10 a gate in the fence including a frame having a pair of spaced upright support members, a first horizontal brace for spacing the upright support members and a length of mesh screen tensioned between the upright support members;

support means capable of withstanding lateral tension forces of the screen for supporting and latching the gate;

hinges secured to the support means on one side of the gate; and

15 a latch device secured to the gate and to the support means on the opposite side of the gate.

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